## SARATOGA'S BRIGHT OPENING

AUGUST BELMONT'S LORD OF THE VALE WINS HANDICAP.

Defeats a Small but Select Field-Bad News Badly Ridden, Finishes Second-Waterboy and Hermis Scratched-Sysonby Gallops Home Winner in Flash Stakes.

SARATOGA, Aug. 1 .- So far as the actual racing goes the meeting which opened here to-day bids fair to excel anything in the history of the present management and of the many who have held sway since the track gates were opened away back in the '60s. The 2,000 and odd stalls provided are filled with the choicest horses of the entire country. Heretofore hundreds of yearlings have be brought here, but a month ago those in charge realized the demands for stables, and the edict went forth, "No stalls for any but

horses that are to be raced." With this abundance of material to call on and a programme framed to bring it into play there can be no question as to the merit of the contests that will be furnished. As for the public's support, that is something that can be told of later on. To-day the that can be fold of later on. Its day the attendance was good, but that is the most that can be said of it. It will, of course, increase later on in the week, for the jump from Brighton on Saturday looked a little too swift for many. The prominent figures of the turf world are most generously represented, but it is with the rank and file the gap in the ranks can be found.

The day's sport was of a high grade. It rained during the night, but not enough to bring mud, in fact the track was in perfect

While the Ballston Cup steeplechase, which calls for hunters, and the Flash Stakes, in which Sysonby was shown, must be put down as attractions out of the ordinary, the star event was the Saratoga Handicap, in which the pick of the all-aged division did battle. Some thought the field small condering the value of the prize, but this lack of numbers was really its best feature. It meant doing away with a lot of useless material that would add no lustre to the event and might bring interference that would mar the chances of the real contenders.

The withdrawal of both Hermis and Waterboy while disappointing did not rob the race of all its lustre. The lot left in would mean a sterling contest at any time in any country. The winner was August Belmont's Lord of the Vale a son of Hastings-I ady Violet, who won his first race of the year the other day at Brighton. His victory was a decisive one and due credit must be given him, still many clever judges will qualify his show-ing by saying he was lucky, that is, he was able get to the front early in the struggle and escape the troubles that came the way of the

Bad News, the hope of the Westerners was second, and this after a ride that reflects anything but credit on C. Kelly, who had the mount. The horse broke in the middle of the bunch and close to the inner rail. This posi-tion he held to the first turn, where Kelly made a bolt for the outside, running all around his field. Nearing the end of the backstretch he sought an opening on the rail and rushed into second position in a sixteenth of a mile. This, of course, told on the horse, and when called on for a final effort he was all out and it was really surprising to find him hang on long enough to be second.

Lord of the Vale's victory was very pleasing to A. J. Joyner, who now trains the horse for Mr. Belmont. When he first took charge the colt he feared that he, like all of the Hastings, would prove a sprinter only, but after to-day's showing there can be no doubt as to the staying qualities of this son of the Nursery sire. He was on his good behavior at the post, ready to break at the word and when it came he was away with a bound and had worked clear of his field before a furlong had been covered

Lyne had orders to make every post a winning post. This meant a pace keen and swift, but the colt was willing, and his rider had plain sailing, so far as choosing his par of the track. On the buckstretch he opened up quite a gap, and for a time it looked as i would get home without an argument but rounding out of the backstretch Bac News made his bid and it brought him t

Lord of the Vale's neck. At this point Lyne grew anxious and sa down to ride. His call failed to bring any noticeable response from the colt under him and a cry went up that the Western colt would win, but soon after the homestretch was reached Bad News began to hang and passing the betting quarters it was plain to se

Lyne was able to realize this, but not until he had his colt well clear and even then there was no disposition to ease him. It was simply letting him have his head without any urging. This made his victory to many look more decisive than it really was.

In the last 100 yards Kelly, too, realized what was about to happen, and he, too, begar to take things a little easy. Still there was a comfortable margin between him and Caugh nawaga as they passed the judges. The last named was under persuasion almost the entire trip, and his forward position at the end was due to the fact that he outlasted the others.

Some were inclined to criticise Phillips's handling of The Picket, but the censure was unwarranted. It was simply that the horse could not keep up at any stage.

The mile and a quarter was run in 2:05, which is a new record for the race, the old mark being 2:05 3-5; made by Waterboy last year, and equals the track record made by Irish Lad. The race was originally at a mile and a furlong. In 1902 it was made a mile and three-sixteenths, and last year was increased to a mile and a quarter.

The Picket's showing was a dismal one. Never after the start did his backers have hope of his winning. He made one spurt in the backstretch, moving up from last position, but it was simply a flash in the pan and he quickly subsided. His preparation for the race had been exceedingly flattering. and for this reason his performance is be-yond solution. Grand Opera was a good horse for a mile and then dropped out of the fray. A mile and a quarter is not his notch. Claude was among the tailenders the entire

trip. In the West this horse wins races that uld make one believe he has a lot of class, but when pitted against top notchers he fails to make good. He certainly did this afternoon, for his showing would not warrant his being played to beat a lot of selling platers. Pulsus, who carried the colors of Fred Gebhard, was another of the disappoint-ments. On his work he looked a very dangerous factor, but nothing he did in the race came anywhere near handicap form.

As for Africander and Major Daingerfield they ran one of their bad races, which are by no means uncommon. All considered the credit of the race belongs to Bad News. ln good hands he certainly would have been fighting it out with Lord of the Vale, if he had

Sysonby's victory in the Flash Stakes was even more decisive than his admirers had hoped for. From start to finish his rider was striving his utmost to keep him back within a reasonable distance of his field, but found it more of a task than he bargained The polt was so full of running he could not be restrained. His showing stampe him a colt out of the ordinary, if not the best

to Augur, who beat him two lengths for the place. Mr. Bell's colt swerving all over the track in the final sixteenth.

H. B. Duryea's Heart's Desire, a grand filly, by Hamburg—Admiration, who had never started, was heavily played in the fifth race for maiden two-year-old fillies at five and a half furlongs, her closing price being 15 to 20. On the way to the post she frightened her backers by throwing Hildebrand and running away for more than a quarter of a mile, but when she finally got to the post and the gate was sprung she broke in front and opened up a lead of two lengths. In the stretch Hildebrand took her up and drew a fine finish, winning by a length in 1:07 4-5. F. R. Hitchcock's Mirthless, 6 to 1, ran second all the way and took the place from Sydney Paget's Zeala, a full sister to Waterboy, by three lengths. The latter was a 12 to 1 shot and closed strongly in the last furions, the same to be said of Delusion and Intrigue.

Because she cut across the field just after the start of the first race, for sprinters at six furlongs, Joe Yeager's Mimosa, 13 to 5, favor-ite, was disqualified by the stewards after finishing in front, and the race went to H. F. Meyer's W. R. Condon, a 20 to 1, shot. Girdle, Castalian and Letola showed early speed and raced heads apart for half a mile, with Mi-mosa close up. At the head of the stretch Castalian and Letola weakened and W. R. Condon moved up for a hard duel with Mimosa to the wire, the latter getting the verdict by a head in 1:13. Girdle, 15 to 1, was two lengths away.

The Ballston Cup Steeplechase over the full course was one of the greatest farces of its kind ever seen on a metropolitan race-course. Five horses went to the post and every one of them met with an accident of some kind. Coligny, the 3 to 5 favorite, fell, but was remounted and finished second to Fred Johnson's Bonfre, 5 to 2, who refused at four jumps, but managed to get over the course. Thornhedge refused and Jimenez and Lipton both tumbled. The crowd had some hard things to say of the jumping game after the race. The time

In the last race, at a mile, John McCue's Unmasked, 5 to 1, got away quickly and showed his heels to the others until the last furlong pole was reached, where he began to curl up, and, in a driving finish. Sais, backed down to sixes, overhauled him and won by two lengths. Unmasked lasted long enough to be second, a length and a half before Frank Lauterman's Stuyve, 9 to 10 favorite, who received the worst of a poor start, but was gaining rapidly at the end. The time was 1:30 3-5. Only two favorites won.

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At Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Americano, an added starter, won the Garden City Handicap, the feature event at Harlem to-day, by a nose from Clifton Forge, the favorite. Gypzene, at 50 to 1, was third. Gypzene broke in front, with Americano second. Gypzene broke in front, with Americano second. These two were together on the turn, with Clifton Forge third. Turning into the atretch Knapp brought Clifton Forge through on the rail. In a flerce drive. Americano beat Clifton Forge a nose. Knapp made a protest of foul, as he was hemmed in on the rail all through the stretch, but it was

Jockey Henry was indefinitely suspended by the Jockey Henry was indefinitely suspended by the judges for a bad ride on Miss Inez. Only two favorites won. fayorites won.

First Race—Six furlongs—Geranium, 100 (Oliphant), 9 to 1, won; Judge Himes, 112 (Henry),
9 to 1, second; Julis M. 106 (McIntyre), 18 to 1,
third. Time, 1:15. Rag Tag and Frontense also

second Race—Steeplechase handleap, short course—Handvice, 152 (Peters), 8 to 5, won; Trenet the Mere, 150 (Dosch), 7 to 1, second: Alma Girt, 128 (McMahon), 11 to 1, third. Time, 3:48 2-5. Springslead, Lingo and Dagmar also ran. Coratus fell. Cork and Golden Link ran out. Springsteal, Jingo and Dagmar also ran. Coranatus fell. Cork and Golden Link ran out.

Third Race—Garden City Handicap, six furiongs —Americano. 104 (G. Bell). 8 to 1. won; Clifton Porke. 111 (W. Knapp). 11 to 10. second; Gypzene. 95 (Nicol). 50 to 1. third. Time. 1:15. Ananias. Big Ben. Skiliul, Shawanna. Monastic II. and Beau Ormonde also ran.

Fourth Race—One mile and sixteenth—Phil Finch. 93 (Nicol). 5 to 1. won; Felipe Luego. 98 (Knapp). 4 to 1. second; Fonsoluca. 101 (Felcht). 2 to 1. third. Time. 1:40 1-5. Apple also ran.

Fitch Race—Five furiongs—Plaxman. 108 (Prior. 8 to 5. won; Miss Inez. 110 (Henry). even. second: Allen Avon. 100 (Perrine). 16 to 1. third. Time 1:72 1-8. Broadway Girl. Mary's Gallant, Prince Brutus, Watchguard and Choice Operas also ran.

Sixth Race—One mile—Gresor K.. 108 (Henry). Brutus, Watchguard and Choice Operas also ran.

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even money, won: Luralighter, 100 (Aubuchon), 5 to
2, second: Foncasta, 86 (Knapp), 4 to 1, third. Time,
1:43 3-5. Ethel Wheat, Jake, Cardinal Wolsey and
Woodlyn also ran.

Seventh Race—One mile and a furiong—O'Hagen,
102 (Lawrence), 12 to 1, won; Soufriere, 100 (Miller),
4 to 1, second: Ben Chance, 110 (Hoffier), 20 to 1,
third. Time, 1:38. Rossmond, Fleuron, Glifain,
Annu, Gloriosa and Major Mansir also ran.

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GOSSIP OF THE RACETRACK.

H. B. DURYEA'S CRACK TWO-YEAR-OLD BUMBLE BEE SHOT.

Unbeaten Filly Crashes Into a Fence While Training, Fracturing Her Shoulder -James R. Keene Refuses \$100,000 Offer for His Great Colt Sysonby.

SARATOGA, Aug. 1.—While being galloped this morning with the others of R. B. Duryea's string, Bumble Bee, the unbeaten daughter of Hamburg and Vespers, one of the topnotchers if not the particular star of the season's two year-olds, wheeled and crashed against the track fence. The boy who was galloping her was badly hurt and an examination of the filly showed she had fractured her shoulder. At first it was be-lieved she might be saved for breeding purposes but an examination by Dr. Farley showed the case to be next to hopeless and she was shot to end her suffering.

This means a very serious loss to her owner,

and the racing public as well, for there was really no knowing how good a filly she was. The two efforts she made in public, one at Sheepshead Bay and the other at Brighton, brought easy victories for her and she was being made ready to bid for the Saratoga The stable is still represented Special. but this filly was the mainstay. In her work since she came here she has been setting the clockers dizzy, reeling off furlongs at a cip that really warranted her being rated as a wonder.

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Those that made the trip up by the Troy boat of last evening were considerably annoyed by a swarm of hustlers who were beating their way here. This morning when the boat landed and the officers were at the gangplank taking up tickets there was a stamped from the upper decks over the rails. ing their way here. This morning when the boat landed and the officers were at the gangplank taking up tickets there was a stampede from the upper decks over the rails. At first it was believed that some accident had happened, but it was soon learned that it was simply the "free riders" jumping ashore. On the train they reported to a man and when it was found they had no tickets they were put off only to climb on again as it moved off. They were finally corralled by the train crew and locked in one of the cars. One of the gang, and it numbered close to 100, was a handy man with a lock, and they were soon scattered over the train again. All considered it was a troublesome trip for the railroad people and anything but a quiet one railroad people and anything but a quiet one for those who had paid their way.

John J. Ryan is expected here on Wednes day. He arrived in New York last night and said to THE SUN man that he would be busy picking winners as soon as he straightened out some business matters. Speaking o his trouble in St. Louis, he said that the re sult will be complete exoneration, that is despite the efforts being made to punish him he would get off without a term in jail. West ern horsemen here who are familiar with the effort being made to punish him, do no agree with him, in fact, say that those be hind the movement to punish him were sur of their case before they had him arrested and taken to St. Louis. Ryan's main de fence will be that he made a settlement with his subscribers that was satisfactory t them and to the courts, but this must yet be proved. A member of the Jockey Club closely in

touch with the day's doings is responsible for the statement that this morning James R. Keene received an offer of \$100,000 fo Sysonby and refused it.

Mr. Keene says he did not get a direct offer for Sysonby, but that a party did come to him and say before the race: "If you wil sell the colt, Mr. Keene, I can get you a purchaser at \$100.000." "This I declined," said Mr. Keene. "The colt is not for sale." It is believed that W. B. Leeds is the party

who wanted the colt. After the colt's runaway victory in the Flash Stakes some were inclined to believe that Mr. Keene did the correct thing, for if the colt holds his present form he is really invincible and there are a number of rich stakes at his mercy this season. In fact, if he should win the Special here the Futurity t Sheepshead and the Flatbush or some other of less importance he will earn the amount de clined. His victory to-day was of a most impressive order. In fact, at no stage of the journey was he even permitted to run free. Had he been given his head all the way there

is little question but what he would have won by a sixteenth of a mile. As it was he galloped home in front of his stable mate. The colt shows a number of blotches on his skin that caused some talk among the critics his trainer, Jim Rowe, said that the trouble nothing that bothers him either in his feed or his work. The colt is certainly a wonder, and if he holds his present form he will go

through the season unbeaten.
The disqualification of Mimosa in the opening race was made without complaint from came to the stand he reported that all down the backstretch Hildebrand, who was riding the filly, was taking her in, crowding the horses that were running next the rail. The stewards then questioned the riders and then came their decision disqualifying the mare. Hildebrand will stand on the ground for three days as punishment for his careless

riding, if that is the way it can be put. When Dick Bernard next runs it will be in the colors of Newton Bennington, who claimed him after he had been beaten in the opening race. The cost was \$2,250, and this looks like a bargain, for the colt is in winning form and is something more than a selling

The Ballston Cup, which is a steeplechase for hunters, was the next thing to a farce. Five started and at one time not one of the five was under way. Thornhedge, who comes from Canada with quite a repu-tation, refused the first jump and never did get over it. At the next Jiminez came to grief and Lipton, who was close behind him, anded on him. This left Bonfire and Coligny to go on, and at the hedge in front of the stand he latter went down, leaving Bonfire alone to go on. Soon the latter began to refuse his jumps, and there was a scramble of stable hands to catch the riderless Coligny. When he was caught and remounted, Bonfire was one turn of the course ahead, and despite repeated refusals he managed to get over the

course the winner.

Jiminez had his shoulder broken in his fall, and after an examination to see if he could be saved for breeding purposes it was decided to kill him. Connelly, who rode Jiminez, scaped with a broken collarbone.

Herman Duryea is to become one of the stewards of the meeting. This is the first' time that he has filled an official place n the years that he has been connected with racing. He will be compelled to step down very frequently, for his stable here is a very strong one and will be seen in two or three races a day. He showed a good filly to-day in Heart's Desire, who is by Hamburg—Admiration, and to-morrow will show Prince Hamburg, who is said to be the pick of the colts in the stable. Heart's Desire's victory was made especially impressive by the fact that while on her way to the post she threw her rider and ran away three furlongs before she was caught. The railbirds have it that one of the string, The Chieftain, worked a

half mile in 46 seconds and cleverly.

The awarding of the first race to W. R. Condon, who was at a fancy price, did not bring any profit to his owner. Mr. Schaffer, who is interested in the horse, bet a lot of money on him at Brighton and intended

instated, and that the petition asking plemency for him will carry the names of several who have heretofore opposed his getting a license.
The Western delegation here is very strong and several of the stables they have brought will be factors in the fixtures to be run. John W. Schorr has a very formidable lot, and all

Clarence H. Mackay was at the track and expects to remain for the meeting. Every one is pleased to see him return to racing and are looking for an announcement that his colors will be seen next year.

Frank R. Hitchcock, president of the Saratoga Association, who has been ill, is mending fast and expects to be well enough to visit the track dally, beginning the latter part of the week. His father, Thomas Hitchcock, viewed the races to-day from one of the clubhouse boxes.

TO-DAY'S CARD FOP SARATOGA. Hamburg Belle to Meet Delhi, Mineols and Others in Mile Handleap.

SARATOGA, Aug. 1.-The card for to-mor row should provide some more good sport. Chief interest will be centred in the last race, a handicap, at a mile, for which Hamburg Belle, with 107 pounds, will be heavily cluding James R. Keene's Delhi, H. B. Duryea's Mineola, the Goughacres Stable's Spring and Mattie Corbett's Dalesmen. The Mohawk, for three-year-olds, at a mile, is the stake feature, for which John A. Drake's Bohadil, with only 96 pounds, will be well supported, with Hello the probable contender. In the opening event, for two-year-olds, at five and a half furlongs, McChord, the crack Westerner, will meet Hot Shot, Broadcloth, Caper Sauce, Sinister and others. A poor field has been named to go in the second event, for selling platers, at a mile and a sixteenth on the turf.

**	follows:
e	First Race-For two-year-olds; five and a half
e	furlongs:
	Glipin
	McChord
5-	Caper Sauce
d	Hot Shot
y	Second Race-Selling; one mile and a sixteenth
	on turf:
d	Mackey Dwyer 106 Requiter
of	Allan 103 Ascetic 91
-	Trepan 103
8.	Third Race-For maiden two-year-olds; five
	and a half furiongs:
a,	and a half furlongs: Sinister
t-	Yorkshire Lad112 Calringorm
e	Lindsay Gordon 112 Prince Hamburg 112 Glen Fcho 112 Allumeur 112
ot	Siglight
	King Cole
-	Fourth Race-The Mohawk, selling; for three-
e	Year-olds: one mile and an eighth:
d	year-olds: one mile and an eighth: Hello
	Devella 102 Limple
h	Champlain 101 Bobadil 96
	Fifth Race—For maidens; six furlongs: Warfare
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	The Captain 110 Briery 106
n	Silverfoot110 Adriutha106
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e	Memphis 107 Commonetta 105
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r	Timmle Lane 107 Ristre
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11	Dalesman 100 Spring 100 Hamburg Belle 107 Pennant 99
-	Fort Hunter 107 Grey Friar vo
d	Gold Money 104 Hello 90
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v	At Fort Eric

BUFFALO, Aug. 1.—Only one fayorite won in seven races at Fort Eric this afternoon. The weather was fine and the track fast. Summaries:
First Race-Four and a half furiongs—Edna Tanner. 97 (T. Tyler), 10 to 1, won: Trapplest, 102 (D. Boland), 7 to 8, second: Auction, 110 (Treubeld to 1, third. Time, 0:57. Polly Ann, Nevada, Woodmyth, Sadie Glasser, Battlement and Miss Gunn also ran. myth, Sadic Glasser, Battlement and Miss Gunn also ran.
Second Race—Six furlongs—Blue Grass Girl, 107 (Paul), 3 to 2, won; Haldee, 107 (C. Aker, 2 to 1, second; Irene Mac. 102 (J. Austin), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:16<sup>1</sup>4. Ed. Bradley, Petit Bleu, Clifton Boy, Julia Junkin, Kentish Shrew and Nix also ran.
Third Race—Six furlongs—Hopeful Miss, 88. (J. Johnson), 4 to 1, won; Columbia Girl, 100 (M. Johnson), 5 to 1, second; Sliver Dream, 104 (Treubel), 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:14. The Elba, Trapezist, Venator, Maggie Mackey, Chanterelle and Mirance

tor, Maggie Mackey, Chanterelle and Mirance also ran.
Fourth Race—Five furlongs—Reward, 106 (Treubel), 8 to 2, won; Bazil, 106 (Miblick), 10 to 1, second; Dalsy Dean, 106 (Paul), 2 to 1, third. Time, 102. Clacinn it Enquirer, Muozon, Joe Kelly, Peggy Mine, Kathryn L., Scarecrow, Filigree and Arah May also ran. Peggy Mine, Rathryn L., Scarcerow, Fingree and Arah May also ran.

Fifth Race—One mile—Launay, 102 (Niblick), 5 to 1, won; Marilin, 104 (Munroe), 10 to 1, second; Ben Fonso, 101 (Treubel), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:40½, 1dle, Cantsloupe, Olenetz and Silurian also ran.

Sixth Race—Six furlongs—Showman, 106 (Munro), 2 to 1, won; Tremar, 107 (M. Johnson), 10 to 1, second; Mirlam W., 102 (Richsteiger), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:18. Fickle Saint, Pearldge, Pompin, Ailbert, Carl Kahler, Rockmart, Katherine, B. and Gilmore also ran.

Seventh Race—One mile and a half—Baird, 408 (Munro), 4 to 1, won; Lou Woods, 99 (R. Johnson), 7 to 2, second; Justice, 108 (J. Walah), 5 to 1, third. Time, 2:35%. Eclectic, Harbor, Port Warden, Frism, Meggs, Vallarambla, Too Many, Little Tommy Tucker and Longspur also ran.

BUFFALO HARNESS RACES. Princess Athel Wins the Preparation at

Grand Circuit Meet. BUFFALO, Aug. 1.—The Grand Circuit races under the auspices of the Buffalo Driving Club opened at the Kenfiworth track this afternoon. It was a glorious day and the track was fast.

In the first race, the Preparation, purse \$1,000, for the young ones, the crowd saw two of the closest finishes of the day. The bay filly Princess Athel took the first heat. with the chestnut filly Alta Axworthy second with the chestnut filly Alta Arworthy second. The finishes were reversed in the second heat, but the race went to the Princess on her time, 2:15%, a quarter of a second faster than Alta's time in the second heat. Such were the conditions of the race. The Princess ruled a slight favorite.

Geers did good work in the third race, landing the bay gelding Alexander first in straight heats in tight finishes. In the pools, Alexander ruled favorite at 4 to 1 against the field, but Bonnie Russell gave him a close run.

The Preparation, for three-year-olds, trotting

purse \$1,000:

Princess Athel. b. f.. by Directum—Kelly (Deryder)

der)

Alta Axworthy. ch. f. (Thomas)

Major Guethiein. b. a. (Hudson)

\$ 3 3

Fatty Fellx. b. c. (Barrett)

Lord Revelstoke. b. s. (McClary)

The Introduction, for three-year-olds, pacing;
purse \$1,000: The Introduction purs 81,000:
Simon Kenton. br. c., by Bernadotte (Hudaon) ... 1 2
Doris B., b. f. (Snow) ... 4 1
Albuta, bik. c. (McLaughlin) ... 2 3
Teddy Weaver, b. c. (Dillon) ... 3 5
Dorcas H. b. f. (D. Thomas) ... 5 4
Bolass, s. f. (Jolly) ... dis Time, 2:1846, 2:1849.

2:20 class, trotting: purse \$1.000.
Alexander, b. g., by Star Duroc (Geers).
Bonnie Russell, b. s. (Hudson).
Silver Ore, g. (Snow).
Time, 2:1146, 2:1146. 2:01 class, pacing; purse \$1,000;
Majoi C. b. s. by Coastman (Geera)
Little Squaw, blk. m. (Walker)
Locanda, b. s. (Rosemire)
Joe Pointer, b. s. (McClary)
China Maid, b. m. (McLaughlin)
Time, 2:0514, 2:0554. POLO.

Rockaway Beats Bryn Mawr in First Championship Game.

NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., Aug. 1 .- The first match in championship polo took place this afternoon on the field of the Point Judith Country Club. Rocksway took the ball at the start and just as they were about to

BEATEN IN A BATTING GAME.

NEW YORK AMERICANS MAKE STRONG BUT FUTILE FINISH.

Five Runs in Last Inning Against Detroits -Griffith's Men Lose Ground, as Both Bostons and Chicagos Win-The Philadelphias Shut Out St. Louis Team.

The New York Americans made a strong but futile rally in the ninth inning at Detroi yesterday. Their defeat put them in third place, as Boston shut out Cleveland and Chicago beat Washington. The Philadelphias whitewashed St. Louis. The results:

Detroit, S; New York, 6. Boston, S; Cleveland, O.

Chicago, 4; Washington, 2. Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 0. STANDING OF THE CLUBS. ## L. PC. | W. L.

Boston... 53 33 .616 | Philadelphia .47 88 |
Chicago .54 55 .607 | St. Louis ... 34 46 |
New York ... 50 34 .595 | Detroit ... 34 50 |
Cleveland .47 36 .566 | Washington ... 18 65 DETROIT, 8; NEW YORK (A. L. J. 6.

DETROIT, 8: New York made a desperate rally in the ninth inning at bat, driving Donovan to the bench after hitting him for three doubles and two singles. Detroit earlier in the game had put criffith to the bad. The hitting of Williams, O'Leary and Donovan and the fielding of McIntyre were the features. Detroit outlucked the visitors. The score:

NEW YORK. Totals .... 8 12 27 12 1 Totals ... 8 12 27 12 1 Totals ... 6 15 24 15 3

\*Basted for Pullman in the ninth finning.
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ew York ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 6 Detroit ..... New York ...

New York ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5-6

Two base hits-Anderson, Williams, Ganzel. Sacrifice hits-Coughlin, Keeler. First base on balls-Off Donovan, 5: off Griffith, 1: off Pullman, 1: Struck out-By Donovan, 2: by Griffith, 1. First base on error-Detroit. Left on bases-Detroit, 8: New York, 12. Double plays-Carr and Lowe; O'Leary, Lowe and Carr, Hit by pitcher-By Donovan, 1: by Griffith, 1. Umpires-Dwyer and King. Time-2 hours and is minutes. Attendance-2,500.

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BOSTON (A. L.), 8; CLEVELAND, 0.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 1—Cy. Young was the master of the field this afternoon and gave Cleveland a clean coat of whitewash. He had ten strikeouts to his credit, retiring the side in the third inning by this route. Four of Cleveland's five hits were scratches. Lush's throw to the plate, catching Stahl, was the feature. Ferris and Parent also distinguished themselves in the field. The score.

CLEVELAND. BOSTON.

| Themselves in the field. The score | CILEVELAND. | R. H. P. A. E. | BOSTON. | R. H. P. A. E. | Flick, rf. ... 0 0 2 0 0 | Selbach, lf. ... 0 1 0 0 | Lush, lf. ... 0 1 1 1 0 | Collins, 3b. ... 1 0 0 3 | Bradley, 3b. 0 0 0 0 3 1 | Stahl, cf. ... 2 3 0 0 | Lajole, 2b. ... 0 1 6 3 1 | Freeman, rf. 0 1 1 0 | Hickim h, lb. 0 0 14 2 1 | Parest, ss. ... 0 0 1 3 | Turner, ss. ... 0 1 0 2 1 | Lacharce, lb. 1 2 14 0 | Bay, cf. ... 0 2 1 0 | Criger, c. ... 1 10 0 0 | Bernh'rd, p. 0 0 1 5 0 | Young, p. ... 2 2 0 0 1 Totals..... 0 5 27 17 4 Totals...... 8 11 27 11 2 

CHICAGO (A. L.), 4; WASHINGTON, 2
CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Townsend held Chicago on even terms to-day until the eighth inning, when Jones singled, Green beat a bunt, Callahan sacrificed, and Isbell's grounder to first was sent home too slowly to catch any one. Donahue followed with a hit, scoring Green, and Chicago gained a lead which Washington could not overcome. Davis became involved in a discussion with the umpire in the sixth inning and was ejected from the game. The score WASHINGTON

Totals ..... 2 4 24 11 1 Totals....4 7 27 12 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 ...4 PHILADELPHIA (A. L.), 4; ST. LOUIS (A. L.), 0.

ST. Louis, Aug. 1.—The Philadelphia Athletics whitewashed the Browns to-day, Howell and Bender were the twirlers, and the Indian had a shade the best of it. The PHILADELPHIA. ST. LOUIS. Moran, 3b. 0 1, 2 8 1 Hartsel, lf. 0 1 0 1 0 Heidrick, cf. 0 0 2 0 0 Pickering, cf. 0 0 1 0 Hemphili, rf. 0 1 1 0 0 Davis, lb. 1 0 14 0 Jones, lb. 0 0 8 5 0 L. Cross, 3b. 0 1 1 2 Wallace, ss. 0 0 2 5 0 Seyboid, rf. 2 2 0 0 Gleason, 2b. 0 1 4 1 0 Murphy, 2b. 0 1 4 6 Sudhoff, lf. 0 1 2 0 0 M. Cross, ss. 1 1 1 5 Sugden, c. 0 0 4 1 0 Schreck, c. 0 0 4 1 Howell, p. 0 0 2 4 0 Bender, p. 0 0 0 1 Totals ... 0 4 27 17 1 Totals ..... 4 5 27 15 Two base hits—L. Cross, Seybold. Home run—Seybold. Sacrifice hits—Heldrick, Schreck. Double play—M. Cross, Murphy and Davis. Stolen bases—Hartsel, Murphy. First base on balls—Off Howell, S. Struck out—By Howell, S. by Bender, 4. Left on bases—St. Louis, 2; Philadelphia, 3. Umpire—Connolly. Time—I hour and 30 minutes. Attendance—1,100.

Southern Tier Association. At Penn Yan-Corning, 7; Penn Yan, 2. At Elmira-Elmira, 9; Addison, 3.

Baseball Notes.

Baseball Notes.

Joe Corbett has been released by St. Louis, at his own request. He has inflammatory rheumatism and will give up his time to treatment.

Unofficial figures show Pat Dougherty to rank second among American League run getters. Up to last Sunday he had navigated the circuit \$2 times, Barrett leading with \$4 tuns.

The speed of the Chicago American infield is shown by the fact that they lead in double plays. They also lead in club fielding. The New Yorks are seventh in this respect and third in club batting.

No less than four of the Chicago American infield is they also lead in club batting.

No less than four of the Chicago American in the country of a game in Chicago the other day for kicking. Johnstone fired them, and they were Seymour, Kelley, Huggins and Woodruff. Kelley seems unable to learn that umpire balting is as unprofitable as it is objectionable.

It wouldn't take a man blind in one eye and with a badly trimmed wick in the other lamp very long to discover that the tile which binds National and American leagues together would be quickly severed were the hotheaded gentlemen in both permitted to draw their razors. Between the two organizations there isn't enough mutual connidence and implicit trust to fil a pint cup. Despite mutual distrust—that's the word—the semblance of peace will doubless be maintained, for the only immediate result of conflict would be to send salary lists skyward once more and put a premium upon disloyalty and treachery in the ranks. There will continue to be charges and countercharges, foam and froth, the beating of brass instruments and striking of cymbals. Noise doesn't count, and when the echoes die away both sides will be found in their own back yards.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Take five of the leading pitchers of the country, and there is a pronounced similarity in their effectiveness. In nineteen of Mathewson's games the average off Chesbro for twenty-seven games is 19-27, off Owen for twenty games is 64-20. The average of Chesbro for twenty-seven games is 19-27,

Games Scheduled for To-day.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago in New York: Pittaburg in Brooklyn;
t: Louis in Boston: Cincinnati in Philadelphia. AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York in Detroit: Boston in Cleveland: Washigton in Chicago; Philadelphia in St. Louis. EASTERN LEAGUE. Newark in Buffalo; Baltimore in Rochester.

Baseball, Polo Grounds, To-day 4 P. M. Chicago vs. New York. Admision soc. -- Adr. Baseball, Washington Park, 4 P. M. To-day. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburgs Blank the Chicagos Local Games Postponed. The Pittsburgs blanked the Chicagos in the National League yesterday, and the games scheduled for New York and Brook-

lyn were postponed on account of rain. Pittsburg, 4; Chicago, 0.. STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

PITTSBURG, 4; CHICAGO (N L.), 0. PITTSBURG, Aug. 1.—A game of baseball most peculiar was that of to-day when Property shut Chicago out. Though the Chicagos touched Case for 11 hits, including a triple and two doubles, they could not score. Each long hit made by Chicago was made by the first man up, but they could not come over. liams of Chicago was badly hurt in the sixth sliding to second base. The pore:

PITTSBURG. CHICAGO Totals...4 11\*26 16 0 Totals....0 11 24 7 4

\*Slagle hit by batted ball.
Batted for Briggs in the ninth inning.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Buffalo. 48 25 .615 Montreal. 85 40 .467
Baltimore. 44 85 .571 Toronto. 37 44 .455
Newark. 42 35 .548 Rochester. 24 52 .516 TORONTO, 4: JERSEY CITY, 3-FIRST GAME. TORONTO. Aug. 1.-Toronto won the morning game by landing on Pfanmilier in the first two innings. The scores: TORONTO. JERSET CITY.

Totals ... 4 7 27 15 8 Totals ..... 8 6 24 9 1 Three base hits—White, Raub. Stolen bases—
Murray, Raub. Francis, Currie, Carr. First base
on balls—Off Pranmiller, S. off Currie, S. Double
plays—Currie, Francis and Rapp; Carr. Francis and
Rapp; Doolin and Cassidy. Left on bases—Toronto, S. Jersey City, 4. Umpire—Canahan. Time
—1 hour and 35 minutes. Attendance—2,400.

JERSEY CITY, 9; TORONTO, 1-SECOND GAME. Totals. . . . 9 14 27 10 Totals. . . 1 8 27 12 8 

BUFFALO, 4; NEWARE, 2,

BUFFALO, 4: NEWARK. 2.

BUFFALO, Aug. 1.—A close decision on the part of Umpires Egan and Sullivan gave Buffalo three runs in the fifth inning to-day. The score:

BUFFALO.

BUF

AT MONTREAL-PIRST GAME. AT ROCHESTER. 

Hudson River League. At Hudson-Hudson, 2; Paterson, 1. Thirteen

New England League At Manchester—First game—Lowell, 8: Manchester, 2. Second game—Manchester, 9: Lowell, 0. At New Bedford—New Bedford, 8: Haverhill, 2. At Fall River—Lawrence, 3: Fall River, 0. At Nashua—Nashua, 5: Concord, 5.

American Association. At Milwaukee—Minneapolis, 10; Milwaukee, 9. At Kansas City—Kansas City, 4; St. Paul, 2. Phirteen innings. At Columbus—Columbus; 3; Toledo, 2. Twelve nings. At Indianapolis—Indianopolis, 14; Louisville, 4.

Western League. At St. Joseph.—St. Joseph. 1: Omaha, 0. At Des Moines.—Denver, 4: Des Moines, 0. New York State League. At Binghamton—Scranton, 1: Binghamton, 0. At Albany—Albany, 4: Troy, 3. At Illon—A. J. G., 4: Illon, 4. Called tenth, dark-

Connecticut League. At New London—New London, 2; Meriden, 0. At Norwich—New Haven, 8; Norwich, 4. At Holyoke—Bridgeport, 6; Holyoke, 1. At Hartford—Springfield, Rain.

At Syracuse-Syracuse, 4: Utica, 3.

n ladies' singles began to-day on the courts of the Newport Casino, and the first round was completed during the afternoon. The matches attracted quite a gathering of the cottagers. It is a handicap affair, the players, sixteen in number, being divided into five classes. The result of the play was as follows: Miss Maude Wetmore beat Miss Fellows, 11—9, 6—1; Mrs. Barger-Wallach beat Miss Mary Busk, 7—5, 6—3; Miss Mary Sands beat Miss Helen Weaver, 6—2, 6—4; Miss Pell beat Miss Anna Sands, 6—1, 6—2; Mrs. J. J. Astor beat Miss Sears, by default; Miss Anita Sands beat Miss N. Moran, 6—1, 5—7, 6—0.

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LONGWOOD LAWN TENNIS. Wright and Ward Win in Semi-Final Bound of Singles Competition.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—As the result of the two semi-final matches in the Longwood singles lawn tennis tournament to-day, Beals C. Wright will meet his doubles partner, Hol-combe Ward, in the final round to-morrow afternoon and a brilliant contest is promised In the play this afternoon, Ward defeated W. J. Clothier in a hotly contested match, and Wright disposed of R. C. Seaver.

The experts figured that Ward and Clothier would furnish the feature match and these expectations were realized. The first set was as bitter a struggle between the pair as

player won the twenty-fourth game, but Ward took the match by getting the twenty-fifth and twenty-sixth games.

Ward did not exert himself in the second set, and Clothier won it easily. The third set also went to deuce after Ward had it 4-3. Ward finally won the set by getting the thirteenth and fourteenth games. In the final set Clothier won the vantage by taking the tenth and eleventh games, but his opponent braced and took three in succession, giving him the match. Ward's service was exceedingly puzzling, and he placed well at times. Clothier placed finely, but drove outside and into the net frequently. Wright won the first two sets in his match with Seaver handily. In the third the St. Louis man took matters quietly, and Seaver won out. Wright kept Seaver on the run in the fourth, and won with ease.

Longwood Singles-Semi-final Round-Hol combe Ward defeated W. J. Clothier, 14-12, 1-4, 8-6, 8-6. Beals C. Wright defeated R. C. Seaver, 6-2, 6-0, 4-6, 6-3.

NON-STOP AUTO RUN.

F. A. La Roche Reaches St. Louis With Engine Running Constantly From Here. A despatch from F. A. La Roche at St. Louis to his garage in this city was received yesterday in which Mr. La Roche announced the successful completion of his attempt the successful completion of his attempt to make the run from here to St. Louis without stopping the engine of his twenty horse-power Darracq, or having it stop. He telegraphed that he arrived at St. Louis at 12:13 o'clock yesterday morning, having covered the 1,300 miles in 158 hours and 29 minutes, or about six and a half days.

Mr. La Roche left here at 9:44 o'clock on the morning of July 25. He had with him all the way observers officially appointed by the American Automobile Association to see that the feat was performed genuinely. Mr. La Roche hoped to make the fourney in three days and nights, but the rough roads and stormy weather compelled him to travel slowly lest he meet with mishap and have the enengine stop. At Mr. La Roche's garage it was said yesterday that it was Mr. La Roche's intention when he left here to attempt to make the round trip without a stop of the motor in case he reached St. Louis with success and it is believed that he is now on his way back. to make the run from here to St. Louis with-

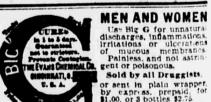
International Auto Race Expensive. At Holyoke—Bridgeport, 6; Holyoke, 1.
At Hartford—Springfield, Rain.

Lawn Tennis at Newport.

Newport, Aug. 1.—The tennis tournament n ladies' singles began to-day on the courts.

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